

SOUTHEAST ASIA: Dry weather across central Thailand favored corn harvesting, while scattered showers (25-50 mm) maintained moisture for main-season rice in the east. In Vietnam, showers (10-50 mm) in the Red River Delta favored 10th month rice. Drier weather in central and south Vietnam reduced moisture for 10th month rice, but aided early harvesting of summer-autumn rice in the Mekong Delta. Moderate to heavy showers (25-100 mm) across central Luzon, Philippines increased moisture for main-season rice, while delaying corn harvesting. Elsewhere in the Philippines, light to moderate showers (10-50 mm) maintained adequate moisture supplies. Showers (25-100 mm) in peninsular Malaysia maintained moisture for oil palm and other plantation crops. Dry weather dominated Java, Indonesia, where moisture supplies are adequate.